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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application are the following enclosures:

- (X) Amendments and Interview Summary in 11 pages.
- (X) The present application qualifies for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

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AMENDMENTS AND INTERVIEW SUMMARY

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Dear Sir:

The Applicant thanks the Examiner for the constructive telephonic interview conducted on December 14, 2004, and the Applicant provides a written summary of that interview herein. In response to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 5, 2004 and the interview conducted on December 14, 2004, consideration of the following amendments and the subsequent remarks is respectfully requested

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Summary of Interview begins on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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